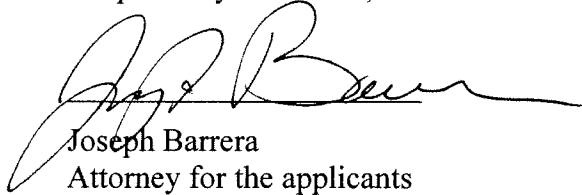


REMARKS

Consideration of claims 1, 3, 5, 13-17 and new claims 20-22 is respectively requested. Claims 2, 4 6-12 and 18-19 are canceled. Claims 1, 3, 5, 13 and 17 are amended. Applicants respectfully request that the following claim amendments be entered and considered prior to any substantive examination

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Respectfully submitted,

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